

UNDERWRITERS OF VALLEY DISBAND

New Law Puts Rate Making in Hands of State Underwriting Association

INSURANCE CLUB IS FORMED

Discovering its existence was contrary to law the Monongahela Valley Underwriters Association, consisting of fire insurance men of the entire valley, has formally disbanded. At a meeting in Charleroi Friday that was well attended the organization was allowed to pass into history and to succeed it a new organization to be known as the Monongahela Valley Fire Insurance Club was formed, with a large membership.

The Monongahela Valley Underwriters Association operated as a local underwriters association. The new law lately in effect prohibited local rate making organizations. The Philadelphia association which establishes rates for practically all of the state to be accepted generally by fire insurance writers, remains in existence. Local organizations henceforth are to take no part whatever in rate making, not even to confirm the rates arranged by the Philadelphia Underwriters, as has been done in the past.

Officers of the new Monongahela Valley Fire Insurance Club named were: T. D. Williamson, Charleroi; were: President, T. D. Williamson, Charleroi; vice president, H. H. Williams, Monongahela; secretary, Frank H. Steen, Belle Vernon; treasurer, W. F. Alten, Monongahela. A committee to consist of Daniel Reamer, Monessen, M. F. Warne, Monongahela and George W. Risbeck, Charleroi, was named to formulate a constitution and by-laws. The new organization will be a mutual protective and fraternal association. It will operate to discourage wild cat companies from operating and act to protect the insurance writers, but will have no part whatever in rate fixing. Meetings will be held alternately at Charleroi, Monongahela, Donora, Monessen and Brownsville.

BOXING CARD FOR TONIGHT

ONE OF THE HIGHEST CLASS

Battling Kopin of Syracuse and Swats Adamson of West Brownsville are both here in shape for their 10-round bout before the Charleroi Boxing club tonight. Kopin who has a bout in the west for next Thursday night is anxious to win decisively and says he will put forth his best efforts against Adamson. Adamson is in good shape for the mill and expects a victory. The semi-final in which Bull Miller of Monessen and Joe Chick of Toledo, Ohio, will appear also threatens to be a torrid affair. Other engagements will be between Young Henry and Tommy Clonan of Pittsburgh, and Johnny Grimes of Pittsburgh and William Brennan of Lawrenceville. The card is one of the highest class ever presented here.

Miss Esther Dreyer of Tenth street is spending Saturday and Sunday at the home of J. R. Hill at California.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL PULPIT CHANGES TO BE EFFECTIVE TOMORROW

Pulpit changes according to the appointment this week of the Pittsburgh conference will be made Sunday in Methodist Episcopal churches. Dr. W. G. Mead, who has been pastor of the Charleroi Methodist Episcopal church will preach for the first time in the James street church, Wilkesburg, and his successor here, Rev. C. A. Hartung late of the Homer City parish will begin his work. Rev. Hartung comes well recommended to Charleroi. He is a man in the prime of life and a hard worker, advance notices state.

DRILLING WILL BE NECESSARY

Company A Soldiers Not to be Finally Discharged From U. S. Army

TERM OF SERVICE IS 6 YEARS

Company A soldiers will probably be mustered out, as the present day mustering out goes, some time next week. Today equipment is being checked over and Monday Capt. E. W. Hartland and the company clerk Neil Anderson will go to Greensburg where at headquarters the company books will be gone over. Then in turn will follow medical examination of the men and they will be released from service for the present.

Mustering out does not mean that the Company A soldiers will be discharged from service. They will be held as national guards of the United States and Pennsylvania for three years, during which time they will have to hold appointed drills. Upon the expiration of that period the men will be held on the reserve list for three years longer. They will receive pay amounting to one-twentieth of what the regular army men receive. The medical examination at Monongahela will probably be made by Dr. Francis Linn of the medical corps of the U. S. Army.

FUNERAL OF MRS. MARY ANN COULTER IS HELD TODAY

The funeral of Mrs. Mary Ann Coulter, aged 71 years, who died at the home of her daughter Mrs. William Armbruster of Crest avenue Thursday was held this afternoon with services at 2 o'clock conducted by Rev. C. P. Bastian, pastor of Christ Lutheran church. Mrs. Coulter died Thursday after a period of illness lasting, contrary to the first news published, more than eight weeks. The interment was in Charleroi cemetery.

ENTERTAINS MEMBERS OF PARLE BEAUCOUPPE CLUB

Misses Pearl and Maude Hott were Parle-Beaucoupe club at their home on Shady avenue Thursday evening. Fancy work and music were the chief diversions of the evening. Lunch was served by the hostesses.

COUNTY MILKMEN VOTE TO STRIKE

Last Resort Vote Taken by County Shippers Who Now Await Action

PITTSBURG IS FACING FAMINE

That they will take part in the strike to cut off the milk supply of Pittsburgh unless granted a better price, but only as a last resort, was the decision of Washington county dairymen at their meeting held Friday at various points.

The final word will come from the executive committee of the Tri-State Dairymen's association, which will meet this afternoon at Cononsburg. Authority to call the strike has been placed in the hands of this body, and indication of a unanimous desire on the part of the individual producers to support the Ohio producers who are leading the fight for higher prices having been manifested, it is not likely that the committee will hesitate long.

No strike will be declared without warning and it probably will not be brought to pass until Tuesday. Pittsburgh dealers declare that if the demands of the shippers are met, it will mean that 12 cents per quart will be charged the consumer, pointing out that they are asking but an average of 17 1-2 cents a gallon, while the retailers are now getting 40 cents a gallon. Producers do not see how the Sherman anti-trust law can affect them.

SUNDAY SCHOOL WORKERS FROM CHARLEROI TO HAVE PART ON DONORA PROGRAM

Charleroi Sunday school workers will take part in a Sunday school convention of District No. 19 Sunday afternoon at the Emmanuel Baptist church, Donora. Rev. E. N. Duty pastor of the First Christian church will make an address on organized Adult Bible class work and conduct a conference. Rev. John R. Burson, pastor of the Washington Avenue Presbyterian church will speak of teacher training work and conduct a conference. The Sunday session will be in the afternoon and another meeting will be held Monday evening.

WILL PRESENT STORY OF THE LUTHER REFORMATION

This evening the final rehearsal for the entertainment, "The Story of the Reformation," to be given by the Christ Lutheran church, will be held. The entertainment will be given at the high school auditorium, Monday

CAMBRIA MAY BUY MARIANNA MINES

Reported Steel Company is Entering Washington County for Coal

NO CONSIDERATION REPORTED

The presence of engineers of the Cambria Steel Company, operators of the Midvale Steel Company, at Marianna, has led to a rumor that the steel company is contemplating the purchase of the immense Marianna mines from the Union Coal and Coke company, now operating them. A report from Marianna Friday night was to the effect that one of the officials of the Cambria Steel Company had arrived there for a conference with the chief engineer in charge of the surveying.

That there has been a deal of some kind pending for the Marianna property has seemed apparent for some days and the feeling at the mining town is that the steel corporation will purchase the property. It has been known for some time that the Cambria company is anxious to break in to the Washington county field and had looked over other properties, only to pass them up.

This rumored sale in conjunction with that in which the United States Steel Corporation is declared to have purchased the entire holdings of the Pittsburgh Coal Company is considered a sure sign that Washington county is to experience the greatest coal boom in its history. No figures of the financial consideration have been mentioned in connection with either deal but either would involve millions of dollars.

QUEEN ESTHER CIRCLE MEETS AT HOME OF MISS MALLABONE

A stated meeting of the Queen Esther Circle of the Methodist Episcopal church was held Friday evening at the home of Miss Alice Mallabone with Miss Mallabone and Miss Elizabeth Frew as hostesses. The subject for the evening was "Permanent Mission Funds." The leaders were Miss Priscilla Murray and Miss Nelle Pearson. The following persons took part in the program: Misses Anna Watson, Phillis Murray, Anna Hendershot, Esther Hall and Elizabeth Hall. A very pleasant social hour was spent during which the hostesses served lunch.

and Tuesday evening October 16 and 17. About one hundred people will take part. It will open and close with a procession of the entire cast. The entertainment is being presented under the direction of Miss LaRue M. Chorpennig. Leading parts will be taken by Harry J. Booth, Charles Feste, Lambert Heaton, Otto Dornitz, Fred W. Peiper, and Dr. J. E. Charles.

Next Monday

"Fires of Conscience"

The story of a strong man's test of honor

William Farnum

Coyle Theatre

COAL CENTRE RURAL ROUTE READJUSTED TO TAKE EFFECT MONDAY

The rural route from Coal Centre has been readjusted to take effect Monday, October 16. This change has been made owing to readjustment of the Daisytown route made necessary by the establishing of a new route at Scenery Hill. The Coal Centre route will no longer go over the loop by the Malden corner and Knob school house. This section will be covered by the Daisytown route. The Coal Centre route will be extended so as to serve patrons on the California road which heretofore have not been supplied.

ATTACK DOCTOR IN HIS OFFICE

Two Foreigners at Donora Murderously Assault Physician With Knives

ESCAPE LEAVING NO TRACE

Dr. G. C. Traugh of Donora is recovering from injuries sustained when attacked at his home early one morning the latter part of this week by two foreigners.

The foreigners gained entrance presumably for medical attention. He went to his private office to get medicine. As he turned his back one foreigner turned off the electric light and the other assaulted him with a knife. Before he could help himself Dr. Traugh was stabbed in the right breast while a slight gash was also made on his left cheek and over his right eye. Breaking loose as the second foreigner was drawing a razor, Dr. Traugh rushed to his inner office and armed himself with the nozzle of an air compressor with which he knocked one of the men down. He called for help and the assailants made a hasty exit. The men could not be traced after the police were called. The motive of the foreigners is not known.

INTEMPERANCE VICE IS WARMLY ASSAILED BY MISSIONARY HAYES

The evils of the drink habit were depicted Friday evening by Rev. R. L. Hayes during the course of the sermon in St. Jerome's church. His remedy proposed was that of personal temperance based on religious motives as the Catholic church advises. Father Hayes said in part:

"The teaching and admonitions of the Catholic church regarding this evil should be known to all. It is the solemn law of Christ that 'drunkards shall not enter the Kingdom of heaven' and that 'those whose God is their belly have for their end perdition.' The church imposes temperance upon all Catholics; total abstinence, without a command, is exhorted to all. 'The church in America, assembled

WILL GIVE GOLD ON HALLOWE'EN

Prizes to be Awarded at Big Celebration to be Held in Charleroi

BAND CONCERTS TO FEATURE

Gold will be given in prizes as a reward of effort Halloween in connection with the big Charleroi celebrations for which details are now under way. Arrangements are not yet in shape for definite announcement to be made of amounts.

Prizes will be given for the best decorated float in the line of parade, for the organization having the largest company in line and for the best and most comic dressed.

Not alone will the parade or the prize awards be features. Band concerts will be given by the Ellsworth-Cokeburg band and the Charleroi Concert band. The Ellsworth band will number 40 pieces and will come attired in brand new \$1,000 uniforms.

ed in the council at Baltimore, sent forth this decree: 'Since the very worst scandals owe their origin to excess in drink, we exhort pastors and we implore them for the love of Jesus Christ to devote their energies to the extirpation of the vice of intemperance. To that end we deem worthy of praise the zeal of those who, the better to guard against excess, pledge themselves to total abstinence.' We admonish Catholics engaged in the sale of intoxicating liquors to consider seriously how many and how great are the dangers and the occasions of sin with which their business is surrounded. Let them if possible choose some more



REV. R. L. HAYES

honorable way of making a living." Closing he said, speaking of those selling liquor, "But if through their action or with their cooperation religion is dishonored and men are led to ruin, let them remember that there is an avenger in heaven who will most certainly demand of them a terrible retribution."

A special sermon will be preached tomorrow at the 11 o'clock mass. The second week of the mission will be closed with appropriate services tomorrow evening at 7:30 o'clock.

J. K. Tener, Pres. G. A. Walton, Vice Pres. R. H. Bush, Cashier

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AVELLA'S DIFFICULTIES

Avella's school difficulties are win-
ning public attention these days since
court proceedings have been instituted
to make the directors show cause, why
if any, they should not be removed
from office.

Of course the trouble may have origi-
nated from a factional disturbance,
and then it might not. However there
is apparent need of a readjustment
of the school conditions in the country
village which lies partly in Independ-
ence and partly in Cross Creek town-
ship. Evidently there has been poor
policy shown in the operation of the
schools. It is complained that the
school buildings are inadequate for
school purposes and that they are
poorly ventilated and unsanitary.
One room is above a machine shop
and garage, it seems and the heating
system is poor.

Enough direct complaint is made
in the bill of particulars filed with
the Washington county court to de-
mand a searching investigation. One
of the worst charges relates to the
unhealthful condition of the schools.
Children cannot do their best in
school work or anything else while
battling against unhealthful condi-
tions. Good air, proper heating, in-
telligent ventilation are absolutely
essential. The schools are not in-
tended to develop a lot of sickly boys
and girls whose minds too have been
stunted; they are intended to de-
velop a robust civilization of keen
intellect. This means if the school
boards are not wise in providing for
the needs of the children under their
care, they are neglectful of their
duty, since they are retarding the
development of the nation's future
citizens.

HIGH SCHOOL SCRAPS

In the present day order of things
it is pretty hard to repress the boi-
sterous enthusiasm of youth and to
prevent the more or less dangerous
pastime of school class fighting. For-
merly it was that high school class
fights were unknown. But as the de-
mands of education grew, as high
schools took on more and more the
air of colleges and strove to incul-
cate the college spirit in the minds
and hearts of the pupils, so did the
class fights develop.

Class fights would be all right if
they did not partake to such a great
extent of actual warfare. To be sure
they are presumed play, but an anal-
ysis would show that men who
would engage in the same sort of
thing in an ordinary celebration
would be certain of arrest and prompt
punishment.

Thoughtless youths are too inclined
to damage things once they get
started and that is why the ruling
authorities find it necessary to use
stern measures to curb their wilful
pleasures. If they could discover
some new arrangement for conducting
their scraps to arrive at the same
more or less satisfactory conclusion
as to which is the stronger, the pub-
lic would gleefully cheer them on.
People like to witness the manifesta-
tion of exuberant spirits but they
are not inclined to applaud too much
when they feel the youth are endan-
gering their own life or limb or are
wrecking valuable property.

WHAT OTHERS THINK

PASS PROSPERITY AROUND.

Speakers at a meeting of ministers
in Washington, Pa., hit the nail
of the pastor's pay problem on the head
when they insisted that this prosper-
ity be passed to every laborer. Only
a few days ago came a dispatch from
the South telling of a minister at-
tempting in this period of plenty to
end his life because his salary is too
small to keep his family. It also is to
be remembered that the increasing
cost of living is a factor with the
ministers as with others. In the
Pittsburg district—throughout the
country—prosperity is being passed
around and the ministers should not
be overlooked.

It is high time these questions were
being viewed in a fair and practical
manner.—Pittsburg Post.

GENTLEMEN ARE HOME-MADE.

Children must be taught what the
parents wish them to know. If they

GINGLES' JINGLES

THE LOOP-HOUND SCRIBE.

When the loop-hound scribe gets on
your trail, and spears you with his
quill, you will learn besides the muffs
of God, there is another miff that
will pulverize so thorough, that will
grind you up so well, that you'll gladly
could you do so, on his process pull
the bell, he eliminates you thorough-
ly, just wipes you off the map, makes
you feel no matter how you've felt,
that you are but a jap. When you
think you are arriving and you tip it
off to him, his attorney is consulted,
and the hobbles slipped to thee while
the band is playing kazoos on your way
to join the bunch, an injunction blocks
the wagon, 'cause you tipped the scribe
the bunch, he has learned you are a
diver, that you haven't got the stuff,
that you hit the old toboggan,
he has called your little bluff.
So if you'd avoid the bitter often
added to the cup, keep your trap
closed, cut the language, hold your
tongue, be wise, shut *Link Jingle*

We taught truthful, gentle ways
they will bet rue and gently. If a
boy hears bad language from his fa-
ther, he will repeat it just as certain-
ly as he has tongue in his mouth; and
if a little girl hears her mother gos-
sip, she will gossip the moment she
needs a playmate. People who de-
spise their food like cattle need not
expect to have nice table manners.
Gentlemen and good women are home-
made. There is nothing on earth
which one ought to be more
thankful for than for having been
brought up in the atmosphere of a
good home.—Beaver Daily News.

HORRID POLITICS.

Politics is never profitable except
to the man who wins the office and not
always profitable to him. So why
will people generally waste time and
energy and even offend each other
because of politics, while there is so
much community work which, if tak-
en up, would accomplish something
profitable to all concerned?—Lan-
aster (Pa.) News.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

Each fellow likes to show the other
how smart he is in getting the point
of a joke.

A man admires an aggressor when
he isn't one himself.

The successful man is the one who
sets up from his knees and starts in
to answer his own prayers.—Luke Mc-
Lure.

The trouble is that the fool killer
who goes hunting frequently makes
mistake and shoots a cow.

You Know it!

You've often heard the quaters say
that every canine has his day,
but when it's time to light the lights,
dogs must subside—cats own the
lights!

—Exchange

Most men never know when they
get in a rut, but even that isn't the
worst of it. They never know how
to get out.

Where is the old-fashioned man
who got infuriated arguing politics.

PICKED UP IN PASSING

"Good morning, auntie; they tell
you are married again."

"Yassum, I've married ag'in."

"How interesting—tell me all
about it. How did you win your
man?"

"Aw, he got stuck on ma singin'."

"Got smitten with your singing,
eh? What particular song were you
singin', if I may ask?"

"Wal, I was a-singin' dat old fa-
miliar hymn, 'Wash Me an' I Shall
be Whiter Den Snow.'"

"Oh, how romantic. So that was
that won his heart, eh?"

"Yassum."

"I suppose you will always have a
tenderness for that song?"

"No'm—I nebber sings dat tune no
mo'."

"Why?"

"Kase it proved a Jonah tune—dat
riffin' man ain't done a lick o' work
since we married, an' I has to spend
na time a'washin' clothes to suppo't
him."

"Oh, George," said Mrs. Bridge,
"on your way downtown this morn-
ing will you stop at the grocer's and
order two pounds of butter and a half
pound of tea and some crackers?"

"Yes, my dear."

"And would you mind leaving my
skirt at the tailor's as you go by?"

"Yes, my dear."

"And then go to the milkman's and
tell him to leave an extra pint of

cream tomorrow?"

"Yes, my dear."

"And when you get to your office
will you call up my sister and tell her
I'll be over Tuesday?"

"Yes, my dear, and say, wife,
would you mind sewing up this little
rip in my coat before I start?"

"Good land aren't you men ter-
rible. You're always wanting some-
thing done."—St. Louis Post-Dis-
patch.

NORTH CHARLEROI

* Samuel Gaskill was a business
caller in Fayette City Thursday.

Mrs. Lyde Louis was a caller in
Monessen Thursday.

Miss Francis Caulkette of Eliza-
beth is visiting relatives here.

Pierce Franks was a business cal-
ler in Donora.

Mrs. Walter Pangburn is visiting
relatives in Pices Landing.

Mrs. Harry Pepple and baby are
visiting the former's brother, Ed-
ward Higginbotham of Industry.

Herbert Stephens of Reestone was
the guest of William McCreary,
Thursday.

William Stillwell of Carmichaels,
visited at the home of his sister, Mrs.
C. A. Metz.

Mrs. Reed Hayes and children were
visiting Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Little of
Roscoe.

Mrs. George Nutt is spending a few
days in Rices Landing.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Joseph
Allfree a son.

C. A. Metz and Ellsworth Metz
spent Thursday in Rices Landing.

THAT KNIFE-LIKE PAIN

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Kean avenue, Charleroi says: "I was
troubled by backache for years. The
pains were so intense at times it
made me sick all over. In the morn-
ing when I tried to get up, I was
worse. Whenever I stooped, a sharp
pain darted through me and I could
hardly catch my breath. Often it
was just as though a knife was be-
ing stuck into me. I was tired all
the time. I had rheumatic pains
throughout my body and my feet be-
came swollen. Two boxes of Doan's
Kidney Pills, procured at Piper
Bros. Drug Store, relieved me of
all symptoms of the trouble. I now
take Doan's Kidney Pills once in
awhile as a kidney tonic and they al-
ways help me."

Price 50c at all dealers. Don't
simply ask for a kidney remedy—get
Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that
Mrs. Worthington had. Foster-Mil-
burn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

Administrators Notice

Notice is hereby given that letters
of administration with the will an-
nexed on the estate of Carrie Piper,
late of the borough of Charleroi,
Washington County, Pennsylvania,
have been granted to the undersigned,
to whom all persons indebted to said
late payment, and those having
claims or demands against the same
will make them known without de-
lay.

Kerfoot W. Daly

A. C. Piper

Administrators c. t. s.

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Some Reasons Why Washington County Men Should Vote for Hughes

The present Democratic Administration has:

- (1) Afforded wholly inadequate protection to life and property of American citizens abroad, and has unnecessarily sacrificed the dignity and reputation of the country in its conduct of foreign affairs.
- (2) Been weak, vacillating and inefficient in its conduct of our relations with Mexico, and has earned the contempt and ill will of that country.
- (3) Vacillated, hesitated and declined to prepare this country to defend itself—until forced by public opinion to its tardy half-way Army and optional Navy measures which cannot be converted into action even if pursued until several years of disreputable national defenselessness have elapsed.
- (4) Allowed its Departments of Commerce and the Treasury to use unjustly their power to regulate destructively many legitimate industries, although few abuses needed such correction.
- (5) Stubbornly pressed its program of mischievous, unnecessary and undemocratic Government competition with private business—thus fostering "Pork-barrel" distribution of National funds and inefficient management and unduly expensive products—and all without accomplishing in any way the industrial preparedness essential to our security and progress in peace and in war.
- (6) Failed to decrease the cost of living, or increase our prosperity, or practice economy—but on the contrary has been extravagant in unnecessary expenditures and in the creation of jobs for "deserving Democrats."
- (7) Greatly increased taxes to pay its extravagances, and has not levied these equally, but to the contrary has imposed them unfairly and undemocratically on special classes.
- (8) Grossly and wilfully neglected and declined to care for the future economic security of the nation—in the face of present world-wide destruction and its inevitable results, and the exclusive economic groupings of the great industrial nations now forming, and the abandonment of free trade throughout such national circles—by its persistent refusal to reasonably readjust the tariff and protect the home production of supplies heretofore procured abroad, which have of late been proven essential for our safety and independence.

Of its vaunted legislation, for which great credit is now claimed, much consists of the mere timely improvement of former constructive Republican work, and much more is untried and of unknown value—and so lately and tardily passed after years of delay as to warrant the feeling that its real mission is to serve as a bait for political support in the present contest.

President Wilson, by his assumption of personal leadership in the Democratic Party—a condition which is emphasized by the almost servile support accorded his measures and policies by Democrats in Congress—stands before the nation as personally responsible for the record of all Departments of the National Government; and particularly Foreign Affairs and Army and Navy, with their unusually complete record of failures. He is himself a proven failure as a leader in times of stress when constructive action rather than words is the need.

For the above and many other reasons the Democratic Party and administration have justly earned rebuke and condemnation; and the Republican Party, with its great ability and experience, should be returned to power for the coming unusually uncertain and critical years.

The world of employers and employees particularly should study and appreciate the mushroom character of our present adventitious and war-made prosperity.

Profits from war orders and the temporary commercial impulse arising therefrom have for the time produced great prosperity—despite, and not because of, the Democratic administration. What about the future after the war? Even now—with millions of men fighting, and many more millions supporting them—foreign industrial nations have never heretofore produced so largely, economically and efficiently. When this enforced economy, self-denial, concentrated activity, efficiency and organization—all practiced by returned, privation-hardened troops—is converted to peaceful enterprise this nation will not only face the hardest competition of its existence in the world's markets, but at home as well. Unless the Republican Party and principles control and guard our destinies in this near future, our markets will be overflooded, other markets will be closed, and wage earners will be hunting jobs at any wages.

Under the leadership of a candidate of such proven power and worth as the Hon. Charles E. Hughes the Republican Party is the only safe refuge for us now.

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J. M. Kelly of Donora will go to Centerville tonight to have charge of the installation of Odd Fellows' officers. From there by automobile they will go to Uniontown, thence to Cumberland and Hagerstown, Md., and back to Gettysburg and Chambersburg. At Chambersburg they will attend the Grand Encampment of Odd Fellows. Mrs. R. J. Lysle and daughter Miss Laura of Fallowfield avenue were Thursday visitors in Pittsburgh. W. S. James of Fifth street returned Saturday morning from York where he attended the State Sunday school convention. Mrs. Georgianna Coles of the Wilbur Hotel and her father Mr. Sample have gone to Mt. Clemens, Mich. Mrs. Fred Clerihue has returned from a Pittsburgh hospital where she took several weeks treatment. D. A. Dixon spent Saturday in Pittsburgh. James Brounce of Maple Creek who has been suffering from an abscess on the knee is improving. Ernest O. Dorbritz a student at Washington and Jefferson is visiting with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Otto Dorbritz of Crest avenue. Miss Alva Majors of Lincoln avenue visited at Pittsburgh Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. William R. Ritchie of Second street are visiting at Uniontown. Miss Mabel J. Webster has returned after spending her vacation at Bellefonte and Wilkes-Barre. W. R. A. Bryan of Canton, Ohio has returned to his home after visiting with his sister Mrs. Marvin Redd of Fallowfield avenue.

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FEENEY CANDIDATE FOR MINERS' PRESIDENCY

William Feeney of Charleroi, a former member of the state assembly, will be a candidate for president of District No. 5, United Mine Workers of America. The vote will be taken December 14. Phillip Murray is now the president but the open field this year renders it likely that from six to eight will contest the election. Mr. Feeney is among the leaders and by his friends is picked as a winner. He served in the state legislature in 1910.

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A meeting of the Charleroi Cemetery company for election of officers and transaction of other business incidental to reorganization as held at the office of I. P. Hepler Friday evening, with the following election of officers taking place: President, I. P. Hepler; secretary and treasurer, W. R. Hepler; directors, Kerfoot W. Daly, W. W. Jameson, John J. Senft, Albert Nutt, I. P. Hepler. The board of directors decided to repair the road and fix up the cemetery in general. A wall is to be built shortly around the cemetery.

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Jack Mervine of Philadelphia is visiting with her sister Mrs. Paul A. Kimmire.
Mrs. J. A. Lohman of Monessen returned Thursday from Potter Place N. H., where she visited the Thomas
Raymond Sharpnack of Rices Landing visited his brothers S. Walton and Roy A. Sharpnack here Friday.
Edgar Abell, former Mail advertising man who now is located in Holla-

wood, California, conducting a business of his own was a visitor with friends here Friday. He came east to attend the funeral of his mother, who died at California.
Miss Janet Clutter has gone to Washington to visit over Sunday with her sister Mrs. J. R. Wilson.
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First Presbyterian
Sunday school at 9:45. Morning worship and sermon at 11. Senior C. E. at 6:45. Evening worship and sermon at 7:30. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30. A. J. Whipkey, minister.

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Sunday school at 9:30. Morning worship at 10:30. Sermon, "Idolatry in Iscaill." Evening worship at 7 p. m. Sermon, "God's Palms and Cedars." Wednesday at 7:30 prayer meeting. A cordial invitation is extended to all those who understand the French language. The Sunday school and all the services are conducted in French. Dr. J. E. Charles, pastor.

Methodist Episcopal
Sunday school at 9:30. Morning worship at 10:45. Epworth league at 6:30. Evening worship at 7:30. This will be the first Sunday for the newly appointed minister, Rev. C. A. Hartung to be present. All are welcome.

First Christian.
Fallowfield avenue near Sixth street. Bible school at 9:45. Lord's supper and preaching at 10:50. Subject, "A Broad Place." Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:30. Subject, "Cultivating Public Spirit." Evening worship at 7:30. All strangers to our city and those without a church home are cordially invited to the services of our downtown church. This is the peoples' church. You are welcome. Rev. E. N. Duty, pastor

Lutheran.
Sunday school at 9:45. Preaching services at 11. Subject of sermon, "The Source of Christian Power." Vesper services with sermon at 7:30. Subject, "Are Your Hands Tied?" The public is most cordially invited to all services. C. P. Bastian, pastor.

Baptist.
Bible school at 9:45. Worship and sermon at 11. Young People's meeting at 6:45. Leader C. C. Wright. A citizenship theme will be treated. Evening service at 7:30 John Kelly, a student for the ministry will preach morning and evening. Prayer meeting next Wednesday at the home of A. G. Lewis on Meadow avenue.

Episcopal.
St. Mary's church Lookout avenue and Sixth street. Services for seventeenth Sunday after Trinity as follows: School 9:45. Morning prayer with sermon at 11. Evening prayer at 7:30. Altar Guild Thursday 7:45. Rev. J. M. Lyons, rector

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